DIRECT REPORTING UNITS

U.S. Air Force Academy

Superintendent: Lt. Gen. Paul Regni Headquarters: Colorado Springs, Colo.

Web address: www.usafa.edu or www.usafa.af.mil

Mission

To educate, train and inspire men and women to become officers of character motivated to lead the Air Force in service to the nation

Vision

The U.S. Air Force Academy ... the Air Force's premier institution for developing leaders of character.

People

Active Duty					
	Officer	953			
	Enlisted	869			
AFRC .			149		
Cadets . 4,434					
	Men	3,611			
	Women	812			
Civilians	3		1,958		
(including NAF civilian employees)					
Total			8.363		

Aircraft

T-51/C-150 Piper Super Cub tow plane, TG-10B basic sail-plane trainer, TG-10C aerobatic sailplane trainer, TG-15 A/B advanced cross-country glider, T-41D (C-172) TACAV and flight test aircraft, UV-18B parachuting jump plane.

Air Force District of Washington

Commander: Maj. Gen. Frank Gorenc Headquarters: Andrews AFB, Md. Web address: www.afdw.af.mil

Mission

The Air Force District of Washington is the single voice for planning and implementing Air Force and joint solutions within the National Capital Region. It accomplishes this by providing superior service always, defense support to civil authorities when asked, and effective contingency response when needed.

The unit organizes, trains, equips and provides forces for air and space expeditionary force deployment, homeland defense operations in support to civilian authorities, and ceremonial support within the capital region and worldwide. The district executes specified Air Force responsibilities for administration and support of Air Force headquarters and assigned units and more than 40,000 Airmen worldwide.

AFDW organizations include the 11th Wing at Bolling AFB, D.C.; and the 79th Medical Wing, 316th Wing and 844th Communications Group at Andrews AFB, Md.

Its specialized units include the U.S. Air Force Band and the U.S. Air Force Honor Guard

People

Active	duty	;	3,613
		573	
		3,040	
Civilian	S		4,500
Total			8,257

Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center

Commander: Maj. Gen. Stephen T. Sargeant Headquarters: Kirtland AFB, N.M. Web address: www.afotec.af.mil

Mission

Tests and evaluates new weapon systems in realistic battlespace environments to provide decision makers accurate, balanced and complete assessments of mission capability. From concept development to system fielding, The center maintains an operational focus to ensure warfighters have the right tools to win tomorrow's battles.

People

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Active duty	476
Officers	
Enlisted	161
Civilians	187
Contractor	341
Total	1.004



Cadets from the U.S. Air Force Academy Class of 2007 salute during the playing of the national anthem at their commencement ceremony. After four years of learning, the Airmen became the Air Force's newest second lieutenants.